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SUBJ THIRD TELEVISION STATION FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

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1. FRIDAY JULY 18 CANADIAN RADIO AND TELEVISION COMMISSION (CRTC) REJECTED ALL COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS FOR REMAINING VHF TELEVISION CHANNEL IN SOUTHWESTERN B.C. COMMISSION AWARDED UHF CHANNEL 26 TO WESTERN APPROACHES LIMITED, ONE OF THREE UNSUCCESSFUL BIDDERS FOR VHF LICENSE. HIGH CABLE PENETRATION IN B.C. SHOULD GIVE WIDE COVERAGE TO LOW POWERED UHF SIGNAL. WESTERN APPROACHES UNSURE STATION CAN BEGIN BROADCASTING BY SEPTEMBER 1976.

2. REMAINING UNSUCCESSFUL BIDDERS FOR VHF STATION UNLIKELY TO REAPPLY AT NEXT CRTC HEARINGS IN VANCOUVER IN FEBRUARY 1976. PRESS REPORTS INDICATE THEY BELIEVE CRTC RESERVING CHANNEL FOR COMBINED CBC-B.C. PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC NON-COMMERCIAL STATION. CBC APPLICATION WAS SUBMITTED TOO LATE FOR LAST APRIL S HEARINGS.
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